

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q83961

Etienne DUNAS, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/510,685

Group Art Unit: 2617

Confirmation No.: 4008

Examiner: Huy C HO

Filed: February 16, 2005

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REAL-TIME INTERCONNECTION OF ELEMENTS OF A  
WIDE AREA MONITORING, MEASUREMENT OR DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM  
THROUGH A DIRECT DIGITAL SATELITTE BROADCASTING MULTIPLEXING SYSTEM

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding after the Notice of Appeal filed February 2, 2009 to February 1, 2009 (Sunday).

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$130.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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